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Course: MA746: Fourier Analysis

MidSem

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Maximum Marks: 30

Note: Answers lacking rigorous justification will not be awarded marks.

1. (a) Let $f \in L^\infty(S^1)$ with f' monotone. Does the Fourier series of f converge uniformly? **1**
(b) Suppose $f \in L^1(S^1)$ and $f = g^2$. Does this imply that $\hat{g}(n) \rightarrow 0$ as $|n| \rightarrow \infty$? **1**
(c) Does there exist a non-zero Lebesgue-integrable periodic function f on S^1 such that $f * (f + f') = f''$? **1**

2. Let $f(x, y)$ be periodic in y , with $f \in C([-\pi, \pi] \times [-\pi, \pi])$. For each fixed x , define

$$A_n(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x, y) e^{-iny} dy.$$

Show that A_n converges uniformly to 0. **3**

3. For $f \in L^\infty(S^1)$, prove that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{S^1} f(t) f(nt) dt = (\hat{f}(0))^2$. **4**

4. Suppose $f : [-\pi, \pi] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined by $f(t) = 1 - |t|$ if $|t| < 1$ and $f(t) = 0$ if $|t| \geq 1$. Show that the k th partial sum of the Fourier series of f is

$$S_k(f)(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} + 2 \sum_{n=1}^k \frac{1 - \cos(n)}{n^2\pi} \cos(nt).$$

Determine whether $S_k(f'')$ converges uniformly. **4**

5. Let $f \in C^1(S^1)$. Show that there exists $M > 0$ such that $|\hat{f}(n)| \leq \frac{M}{1+|n|}$. Furthermore, prove that $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} (1 + |n|^2) |\hat{f}(n)|^2 < \infty$. **2**

6. For $f, g \in L^2(\mathbb{R})$, show that $\widehat{f * g} = \hat{f} \hat{g}$. **4**

7. Let $x^j f \in L^1(\mathbb{R})$ for $0 \leq j \leq k$. Prove independently (without using known result in this regard) that $\hat{f} \in C^k(\mathbb{R})$, and that $D^k \hat{f}(x) = \widehat{(-ix)^k f(x)}$, where $D = \frac{d}{dx}$. **5**

8. Let X be the subspace of $C^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ consisting of functions f such that $x^k f(x)$ is bounded for every non-negative integer k . Show that $\widehat{\widehat{X}} = X$. **5**

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